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FOURTEEN CHARGES. TAMPA A SUFFERER.

That Number of Girls of Tender Ages Are Said to Have Been Sought by a Resident of Niagara Falls to Ruin.

Numerous Buildings Were Damaged and in Some Instances Work Had to Be Suspended in Mills and Factories.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 14.—W. H. Davey, a bicycle and automobile dealer of Niagara Falls, was arrested on the charge of criminally assaulting Elsie Christy, ten years old. He was bailed by his wife in the sum of \$1000. Later he was arrested, charged with assaulting another girl. When arraigned on the charge Judge Homey declined to admit him to bail, saying the safest place for him was the city jail. Several other charges were made of like nature against Davey. Altogether, fourteen specific charges were made, the ages of the victims being from six to fourteen years.

Detectives reported to Chief of Police Maloney that Davey had been accused of also attempting to assault the chief's daughter, aged seven years. Chief Maloney questioned his child and she told him that Davey coaxed her into his place and attempted to assault her. Chief Maloney had Davey brought from his cell and the little girl identified him. Maloney drew his revolver and was about to shoot the prisoner when a detective sergeant interfered and disarmed the officer.

Davey was taken to Lockport jail, at being feared an attempt would be made to lynch him if he remained at Niagara Falls.

Jacksonville, Fla., Sept. 14.—No wires were working south of Jacksonville Monday morning and details of the hurricane which swept across the southern part of the state Saturday are incomplete. So far as known seven people met death, the bodies of five being washed up near Miami, on the eastern coast, and two near Boynton, on the west side of the state. Passengers arriving on belated trains report on the east coast many vessels have been wrecked, coastwise and others. Above Miami it is reported that seven or eight vessels are ashore. Much injury has been done to orange groves and gardens, and it is feared beautiful winter homes of northern people have been damaged. The greatest damage is reported from Tampa, and authentic information from that section, on the west coast, is anxiously awaited. Winds were sweeping across Alabama and Mississippi Monday, and all wires south of Montgomery, Ala., are down in the neighborhood. Flomaton, Ala., Birmingham, Montgomery, Mobile and New Orleans report high winds.

Passengers who arrived in this city Monday from Tampa confirm the first reports of damage by hurricane in that city. The loss, which is now estimated at \$1,000,000, may reach still higher figures when full information shall have been received. Several vessels are reported to be delayed, and it is feared shipping may have been lost and damaged by the wind storm which swept across the southwestern coast.

In Tampa many buildings are damaged, and in some instances work has been suspended in factories and mills. The Almorha hotel roof was blown off and many buildings unroofed. The city was in total darkness Sunday night, the electric light plant having been damaged by the storm. Street car traffic was interrupted from 10 o'clock Sunday night until 8 o'clock Monday morning, and there seems little chance soon for regular traffic to be resumed on account of tangled wires and up-blown poles in the streets.

West Tampa was flooded Sunday night by rain, which followed in the wake of the storm, and the streets were deluged by the heavy downpour. No loss of life is reported in Tampa, although several persons were hurt by falling trees. All wires north of Tampa are down and there is no communication with southeastern and southwestern Florida except by mail. All trains south of Jacksonville are delayed.

SWEEP BY A STORM.

Considerable Damage Done on the West Coast of Florida.

Jacksonville, Fla., Sept. 14.—Beginning Friday morning on the east coast and Saturday morning on the west and lasting twenty-four hours, west Florida has been swept by the strongest cyclone ever known in that part of the state. The wires went down at the beginning and railroad service was delayed. On that account no details reached here until Sunday. Even now they are incomplete, for many places in the path of the storm have not yet been heard from.

At Miami the wind attained a velocity of the East Coast railroad was lifted from its foundations, clear of the cars that were under it, and demolished. Several small boats were sunk in the bay. Passengers on the East Coast train which arrived here report many wrecks along the shore between Miami and Hobbs sound. Among them is one four masted and one three masted schooner and several smaller vessels. None of their names is known. A Standard Oil company's steamer with two barges is on the beach near Boynton. The crew of fifteen men was saved. Bodies of two unknown white men drifted on the beach near Boynton.

SHOT AND BEATEN.

Father of Senator Simmons of North Carolina Murdered.

Newberne, N. C., Sept. 14.—Furnifold G. Simmons, father of United States Senator Simmons, was killed on his plantation, a few miles from Pollocksville, Jones county. He had been missing since Saturday morning and a search resulted in discovering the body near the river. Mr. Simmons had been shot several times with a shotgun, and bruises about the head indicated he had also been beaten with a heavy club. The cause of the killing is unknown. A negro named Daniels has been arrested for the crime. Another account says Mr. Simmons was killed by an unknown trespasser, who was squirrel hunting on his land, and whom Mr. Simmons followed when he heard the shooting. The same account says an arrest has been made. Mr. Simmons was about seventy-five years old, highly respected, honored and wealthy.

INTRUDER SLAIN.

Negro Who Had Entered House Meets Death as a Result

Meridian, Miss., Sept. 14.—Sunday morning about 3 o'clock Dr. M. J. Thompson killed John S. Rail, a negro, who had entered his bedroom for the purpose of robbery. Dr. Thompson had returned from a professional call and was in the act of retiring when he heard a suspicious noise behind the bureau sitting in one corner of the room. He found Rail sitting behind the bureau. The negro at once sprang upon the doctor and catching him by the throat forced him back upon the bed. The doctor had laid his pistol on the bed and managing to grasp it, he placed the weapon to the negro's body and fired, the ball entering the heart and producing instant death.

Trotting Horseman Gone.

Danville, Ky., Sept. 14.—A. P. Bruce, one of the best known trotting horsemen in this state, died at his home here of apoplexy. He was a prominent Elk and a member of Morgan's famous command during the civil war.

Steamer All Right.

Savannah, Ga., Sept. 14.—The steamship New Orleans, from Baltimore, owned by the Merchants and Marine Transportation company, which was reported to have gone aground at Hunter's island, forty miles north of Beaufort, arrived here. The vessel was not injured by the storm, but owing to an accident to her machinery was forced to anchor at Hunter's island until a tug could be sent to her assistance. All of her twenty passengers aboard are reported well.

Was Driven Ashore.

Kingslon, Jamaica, Sept. 14.—The United Fruit company steamer Johnson Wilson, just arrived, reports having been driven ashore on the island of La Concepcion, Bahamas, Thursday by a hurricane.

Exclusively For Negroes.

Weleetka, I. T., Sept. 14.—A new town named Boley will be opened by a town-site company on Sept. 25. It will be exclusively for negroes and no white man will be allowed to hold property. A postoffice has been established and a negro named Mims appointed postmaster.

Terrific Cyclone.

Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 14.—A cyclone struck the vicinity of Bloomington, in southwestern Oklahoma, doing extensive damage. The residence of Mrs. Sarah Carter was destroyed, the woman and her oldest daughter being struck by a falling stove and seriously injured.

First Ascent.

Mount Washington, N. H., Sept. 14.—T. P. Driver of Melrose, Mass., and F. M. Peabody of Boston made the first ascent of Mount Washington in a four-horse power gasoline runabout. The actual running time was three hours and twenty minutes.

Fatal Beating.

Vinita, I. T., Sept. 14.—William Robinson died at Stillwell from the effects of a severe beating.

Another Plot.

London, Sept. 14.—A special dispatch from the Bulgarian frontier reports an-

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Minor Servian military plot was discovered at Kraguevats, fifty miles from Belgrade. Several more officers have been arrested.

Have Surrendered.

New York, Sept. 14.—Isaac McGlehan and G. M. Huntington, Columbia Supply company, who were indicted at Washington in connection with postal scandals, surrendered themselves to the United States marshal in this city. Bench warrants were issued for Huntington and McGlehan last week at the time of the arraignment of George W. Beavers on the Washington indictment.

Smart Girl.

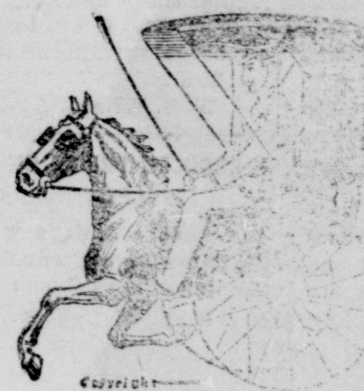
"Do you know," said Miss Bunting, "Mildred Gildersleeve almost coaxed Mr. Fillmore to propose to her. That's how she became engaged."

"Ah, begged the question, did she?" replied Mr. Larkin.—Detroit Free Press.

How easy, is it not, for the strong to advise the weak, for the well to advise the sick.—Schoolmaster.

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Ferndell Stringless Beans 20c, 3 for.....	50c
Ferndell French Lima Beans 20c, 3 for.....	50c
Ferndell Peaches 25c, 3 for.....	1.00
Ferndell Rolly Polly Cherries 35c, 3 for.....	1.00
Ferndell Pears 35c, 3 for.....	1.00
Ferndell Extra Strawberries.....	25c
Ferndell Asparagus.....	35c
Ferndell Asparagus Tips.....	25c
Ferndell Grated Pineapple.....	30c
Ferndell Sliced Pineapple.....	30c

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H. & T. C. SCHEDULE.	
NORTH BOUND TRAINS:	
No. 1.....	4:19 a.m.
No. 3.....	2:06 p.m.
No. 5.....	12:25 a.m.
No. 7 (Waco).....	10:44 a.m.
SOUTH BOUND TRAINS:	
No. 2.....	12:56 p.m.
No. 4.....	4:04 p.m.
No. 6.....	2:30 a.m.
No. 8 (Waco).....	7:38 p.m.

I. & G. N. SCHEDULE.	
SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.	
No. 1 arrives at.....	4:15 p.m.
No. 7 arrives at.....	2:33 a.m.
NORTH BOUND TRAINS.	
No. 2 arrives at.....	12:03 p.m.
No. 8 arrives at.....	11:52 p.m.

Local News

Bryan now has ten cotton buyers. All colors in floss at Norwood's. 243
Beall Chatham went to Cypress yesterday.
Look in Norwood's show window. 243
Miss Jennie Boyett is visiting in Palestine.
Fresh shipment of Blanke's candy Howell Bros. 241
John Tauber of College was in the city yesterday.
Fleishas shetland floss, are popular shades. Wilson & Edge. 242
Ben G. Oneal of Austin spent Sunday in the city.
Norwood has just received his Bunker Hill school shoes. 242
J. C. Chaney was here from Grimes county yesterday.
The American girl has just arrived at Norwood's. 142
Dr. J. F. Eaves was here from Millican yesterday.
Hon. Frank Andrews of Houston is here attending district court.

Miss Ida Elliott has gone on a visit to Dallas and Ennis.
The proper thing in ladies' foot wear, welt Oxfords, at Norwood's. 2
White pearl onion sets and turnip seed in bulk. Haswell's book store. 245
Dr. Geo. F. Lee and wife of Rock Prairie were visitors to the city yesterday.
Fedora kid gloves at \$1.00 are beauties. Every pair guaranteed. Wilson & Edge. 242
Dr. J. D. West left yesterday for Bay City to attend a presbytery meeting.
A. W. Dyess of Bethel was in the city yesterday and called on the Eagle.
Beware of imitations in floss, the best is sold only by Burt Norwood. 243
T. H. Clement of Bremond, an A. and M. graduate, was in the city Sunday.
Lion brand genuine shetland floss fur shawls and fascinators can be found at Burt Norwood's. 243
G. W. Whitehurst came home from Alto on the sick list Sunday evening.
Latest styles in Thompson's Glove Fitting corsets—Sold only by Wilson & Edge. 242
The oil mill began running yesterday morning with everything in good shape.
We are showing the latest shades and styles in ladies kid gloves. Wilson & Edge. 242
Mrs. Hazel Smith of Austin is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eaves.
R. R. DeWare of Ardmore, I. T., has been spending a couple of days in the city.
Not so cheap, but good clean and wholesome meats—meat fit to eat. Franklin Bros. 242
Hon. Chas. Davis was in the city Sunday to attend the funeral of W. Mack Sanders.
The corset for style, fit and comfort—Thompson's Glove Fitting, we have them. Wilson & Edge. 242
Mrs. C. B. Shepard returned to Brenham yesterday after a visit to Mrs. T. F. Castles.



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Men's Outfitters.

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S. W. McConico is now assistant bookkeeper in the office of Col. J. G. Harrison at College.
Buy meats from butchers that are selling good stuff. No flies on them. Franklin Bros. 242
Editor H. C. Shaw, of the Hearne Democrat, was here yesterday en route home from Houston.
Claude Mitchell spent Sunday and yesterday at home after a business trip through East Texas.
For Rent—My residence in northern part of town. Also household furniture for sale. Apply to Mrs. W. R. Rhodes. 241
Miss Jessie Irene Johnson left Sunday night for Gonzales where she will teach the coming year.
Mrs. T. M. Ewing and daughter, Miss Lillian Ewing, of Pitt's Bridge were visitors to the city yesterday.
Big stock of children's, Misses and Boys' fine Pat. Corona and vicl Shoes just received. Norwood. 242
Miss Bessie Marriott and Master Earl Marriott left yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Marriott at Victoria.
Our fall and winter line of American Girl and Mary Stewart shoes are up-to-date. We want every lady in Bryan to call at once and look at them. Norwood. 242
Miss Berta Evans of Madison county and Miss Hattie Marett of Pankey have entered the Ursuline Academy.
Every child in Bryan should have a pair of Bunker Hill school shoes. Burt Norwood. 242
Mrs. J. D. Irons arrived from Tyler yesterday on a visit to relatives and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hanway.
Two mules and a horse for sale at a bargain—together or single. Apply to Cliff A. Adams or H. O. Boatwright. 242
J. R. Collier of Mumford was in town yesterday. Mr. Collier says he has just got started to picking cotton, crops in his country being quite late.
The Bryan graded school opened yesterday with a good attendance and a corps of fifteen teachers including the superintendent. Examinations are in progress and the full enrollment is not yet known.

DISTRICT COURT.

The second week of the district court opened yesterday with a continuation of work on the civil docket.

The following is the jury for the week: W. T. Crenshaw, S. W. Higgs, H. L. Hensarling, E. H. Edge, C. R. L. Jones, J. W. Shepard, James Henry, Jr., G. G. McLendon, W. J. Meads, J. B. Mike, J. H. Mowhinney, J. T. Pate, N. A. Cotman, J. J. Cahill, J. H. Suber, T. E. Taylor, J. L. Rains, Sam'l Levy and Joe Ransom.

The case of Andrew Hammons vs. H. & T. C., suit for damages for personal injuries, went to trial in the district court yesterday and was concluded in the afternoon. After being out a few minutes the jury returned a verdict for the defendant company.

W. J. Meads of Thompson creek was in the city yesterday. Mr. Meads is another successful practical diversificationist. His specialty is ribbon cane. Last year Mr. Meads says he had thirty acres in cotton and made \$82.00 gross out of the crop. He also had five-eighths of an acre of ribbon cane from which he realized \$106.00. He also made nearly enough corn to do him—has only bought two bushels—and raised all his own meat. This year he has six acres in cotton from which he expects to realize about \$100.00, and five acres in ribbon cane, which, at the lowest calculation, should bring him \$60.00. Mr. Meads also has an abundance of corn and meat for the coming year and is figuring on going in for hog raising for market. It is unnecessary to state that he is on the right track.

A freight wreck at Fairbanks on the H. & T. C. at a late hour Sunday night caused a serious interruption of traffic on that road yesterday. An engine and thirteen cars were ditched and a brakeman named Manning, residing in Hearne, was killed. The wreck was caused by a collision, one freight running into another taking a siding in a fog. Mr. Alonzo Carter, who was returning from Galveston witnessed the wreck and says the cars were smashed into kindling wood. He says Wm. Manning, the man killed was head brakeman and on the second car from the engine. Engineer Robt. Ferguson of Houston got one foot badly mashed.

Mr. DeOsborne Dunn of Vinton, La., is in Bryan visiting his sister, Mrs. D. D. McCorquodale and family. Mr. Dunn called at the Eagle office and left a sample of some fine Honduras rice that came off his farm. He has 300 acres, the crop this year he expects to bring him about \$8000.

Several arrests have been made in connection with the work of the district court. George Cooper and Henderson Hightower have been lodged in jail charged with assault to murder. George Moseley, another negro, has been lodged in jail on a burglary charge, and a negro boy named Charley Medley was jailed yesterday afternoon.

Miss Lucy Brogdon left Saturday to teach the Minter Springs school near Wellborn. Miss Brogdon is well equipped for her work and the patrons of the school are fortunate in securing her services.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Perkins returned Saturday night after several months pleasantly spent in the north and east. Mr. Perkins has embarked in the cotton business, the style of the firm being F. D. Perkins & Co.

The mangled remains of an old negro were found on the Santa Fe railroad track in the lower end of the county yesterday morning. Justice Pool of Millican was called to hold an inquest.

J. E. Platt has returned to College after spending the summer in Pennsylvania. He is getting the A. and M. football team in shape for the season, and a series of games have been arranged.

Judge John N. Henderson and family will leave today for Austin, their future home. Thurston Henderson will enter the State university.

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The grand jury returned five indictments for felonies yesterday afternoon, making twelve in all, and is still in session.

Miss Cordia Fletcher has returned from California and entered upon her duties as a teacher in the school.

Miss Eloise Lusk has returned to Houston after a visit to Mrs. John K. Davis.

Miss Chaille Margaret Jones of Houston is the guest of Miss Nellie Smith.

S. W. McConico visited Navasota Saturday.

Milze Darden visited Navasota yesterday.

Will Collard visited Mart Sunday.

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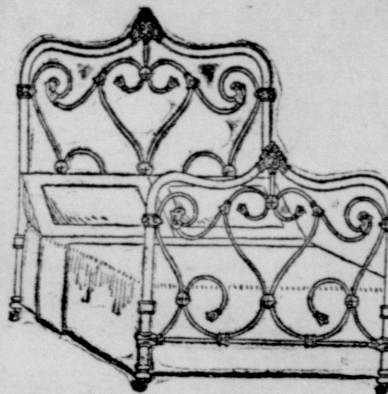
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TRAGIC AFFAIR.

Cagle, Sheriff Wharton and Deputy Sheriff Bragh Killed.

Victoria, Tex., Sept. 14.—Sheriff George Wharton and Deputy Sheriff Frank Bragh of Jackson county were shot and killed in the jail at Edna Sunday afternoon by W. T. Lander, alias M. G. Cagle, of Macon, Ga., and that Cagle was himself shot and killed by Sheriff Wharton. Cagle, claiming to be a Philadelphia capitalist in search of rice lands, drew on a Portsmouth, Va., bank through a local bank for \$9000, but the checks were alleged to be worthless. He bought \$600 worth of diamonds and got \$100 in cash. Being told his checks would not be honored he returned the diamonds and cash. He left and was arrested at Edna. While being searched in jail he shot the sheriff and killed the deputy. Before dying Sheriff Wharton sent four bullets through Cagle's head, killing him.

Top of Head Blown Off.

Waxahachie, Tex., Sept. 14.—While Mrs. Will Allen, married less than a year, and her sister were handling a supposedly unloaded shotgun, the weapon was discharged. Nearly the entire top of Mrs. Allen's head was blown off.

DEED OF A DOCTOR.

Louisiana Physician Shoots and Kills a Prominent Man.

Opelousas, La., Sept. 14.—Dr. A. R. Harmonson shot and killed Charles Medecis, using a Winchester rifle. Medecis was passing on the street, when the fatal shot was fired, he being unarmed. Dr. Harmonson surrendered to the sheriff and is in jail. He claims that Medecis is the author of several anonymous letters attacking the reputation of members of his family. Medecis was well known here and was unmarried.

Long Contract Signed.

New Orleans, Sept. 14.—The longshoremen's strike is formally over. The executive committee of white and black longshoremen met the ship owners in conference and a three years' contract was drawn up. The agents deem the long contract the greatest victory and believe it will go far towards upbuilding the port, removing chances for labor troubles for many days. The Morgan line dock workers are still out.

Bold Assault.

Jennings, La., Sept. 14.—Roy A. Cooper, teller of the First National bank, was assaulted by a negro, who attempted to take from Mr. Cooper a package containing \$3000 in currency which he was taking to the bank from the express office. The negro was arrested. Mr. Cooper was injured by the negro, but not seriously.

DYNAMITE EXPLODED.

Two Railroad Men Were Killed and Three Others Injured.

Bay City, Mich., Sept. 14.—Clarence D. Hopper and Roy Boucher, switchmen of the Michigan Central railroad, were instantly killed by an explosion of dynamite in a car in the yards at West Bay City. Robert Roblin, engineer; Wm. Noble, fireman, and John Cracile, conductor, were injured, the latter so severely that he may die. All of the trainmen were residents of this city.

The explosion occurred as a switch engine was making up a train. The engine backed down upon several cars, the first containing a thousand pounds of dynamite, a consignment of Lee-Mofford rifles and a quantity of reduced charge shells for indoor rifle practice, and it is said that the force with which it struck the explosive-laden car exploded the dynamite. Another report has it that one of the shells exploded and set off the dynamite.

AFTER SHERIFF.

Texas Official Is Wanted on a Charge of Kidnaping.

Tombstone, Ariz., Sept. 14.—Cochise county officers and Texas rangers are in pursuit of Sheriff Denham of Brown county, Texas, armed with a warrant for his arrest on the charge of kidnaping.

Some time ago Josh Hughes of Bismarck, Ariz., was arrested under the name of Josh Humphreys and charged with stealing cattle in Brown county, Texas. Sheriff Denham came after Hughes, armed with requisition papers. In the meantime, Hughes' attorney attempted to have his client released on a writ of habeas corpus. Hughes was re-arrested on some charge under the territorial law, but his hearing has not yet been had. Sheriff Denham started with his prisoner overland toward the New Mexican line. A warrant was issued for the arrest of Denham on the ground that he secured the honoring of requisition papers through a forged telegram to Governor Brodie, advising him that the territorial case against Hughes had been settled.

Death of Mrs. Coudert.

Tuxedo Park, N. J., Sept. 14.—Mrs. Coudert, widow of Charles Coudert, died of apoplexy at her home.

BASEBALL.

Southern League.

At Memphis—Memphis, 10; Birmingham, 8; attendance 5000.

At Shreveport—Atlanta, 12; Shreveport, 3.

At New Orleans—First game: New Orleans, 7; Montgomery, 2. Second game: New Orleans, 2; Montgomery, 1.

National League.

At St. Louis—First game: St. Louis, 2; New York, 1. Second game: St. Louis, 9; New York, 9.

At Chicago—Chicago, 5; Brooklyn, 4.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 11; Boston, 0.

American League.

At St. Louis—First game: St. Louis, 4; Chicago, 2. Second game: Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 3.

IS EXTRAORDINARY.

Letter Purports to Tell a Rather Peculiar Circumstance.

Berlin, Sept. 14.—An extraordinary letter, purporting to have been written by a Bulgarian statesman, appears in the Klein Journal. The writer asserts that a subterranean passage leads from Castle Euxinograd, where Prince Ferdinand lives, though besieged, to the river, through which the prince can escape by water when convinced that his position is no longer tenable. It is added that Princess Clementine, mother of Prince Ferdinand, saw King Edward at Vienna and told him her son was in a deplorable position and in danger and begged the king to have a vessel in readiness to carry him away from Bulgaria. King Edward, it further asserted, assured Princess Clementine that Prince Ferdinand could always find an asylum in England.

RAIDED BULGARIA.

A Dispatch to a German Journal Says it is a Fact.

Berlin, Sept. 14.—A dispatch to the Frankfort Zeitung from Sofia Bulgaria says that Turkish troops raided the Bulgaria frontier near Tekendache and have driven off three herds of sheep. The dispatch adds the Turkish soldiers at Kirk Kilsseh, in Turkish territory, fired on the French consulate, breaking windows. A party of Turks are bivouacking near Gichtepe. With them are twenty Bulgarian women and girls. Five hundred fugitive women and children have arrived at Tekendache.

MORE SERIOUS.

Turkish Troops Are Reported Slowly Nearing the Border.

Paris, Sept. 14.—Foreign office advices from Bulgaria show the situation to be growing more serious owing to reports that Turkish troops are slowly nearing the border. If the advance continues there will be a general mobilization of Bulgarian forces preparatory to smothering eventualities.

The Russo-Austrian note to the powers has been received here. It sets forth



OUR CONSULATE AT BEIRUT.

In the event there are hostilities between Turkey and Bulgaria, Russia and Austria will not give their support to either of the parties, but hold each of them to strict accountability for their actions. It is expected that France will adhere to the Russo-Austrian attitude.

CONNOR RETIRES.

Noted Baseball Player Leaves the Diamond After This Season.

Springfield, Mass., Sept. 14.—Roger Connor, who holds the record for the longest hit ever made on the polo grounds, made when he was first baseman for the old New York "Giants," has announced his retirement from the game and the sale of the Springfield Connecticut League baseball team, of which he has been manager. He has played ball twenty-five consecutive seasons.

Inspires Confidence.

Washington, Sept. 14.—The navy department Monday posted the following: "Admiral Cotton telegraphs from Beirut, 12th inst., that he has exchanged satisfactory visits with the governor general. The governor general has personal supervision of the vice consul case. The late chief of the police has been deposed. Twenty-eight persons, including principals in the disturbances of last Sunday, have been arrested, and Beirut is quiet. The administration of the new governor general inspires confidence. The former governor general left on the 12th instant for Constantinople."

PFISTER PASSES.

Noted Abolitionist and Friend of Fremont and Cassius M. Clay.

Chicago, Sept. 14.—Charles Pfister of Maysville, Ky., friend of Cassius M. Clay and of John C. Fremont, and an abolitionist of note in Kentucky in antebellum and civil war days, is dead here at the home of his son, Walter B. Pfister. He was eighty-four years old. The deceased, who was a lumber merchant for thirty years, was the only man in Maysville to vote for Fremont for president in 1856, and was one of only six men to vote for Lincoln in 1860, the other five were burned in effigy, but Mr. Pfister was spared this indignity because it was generally realized that he voted from principle. He built Fort Hill, commanding the Ohio river for five miles, and turned it over to the Union army and sought no pay for it, but congress remunerated him in after years. He once arranged a meeting at which General C. M. Clay spoke, the general holding a revolver in each hand while he delivered his discourse.

Archpriest Killed.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 14.—Orthodox Archpriest Vassilov was stabbed to death in the streets of Alexandropol, Transcaucasia, Aug. 26. The murderer escaped. The Novoe Vremya's correspondent at Erivan, Transcaucasia, says the murder is one of a series of assassinations committed by Armenian Mafia and adds that Vassilov had been blacklisted for converting inhabitants of the three Armenian villages to the orthodox faith.

OUT OF THE ORDINARY.

Novel Suit Filed at Austin Against a Negro Preacher.

Austin, Sept. 14.—A rather unusual damage suit was filed in the district court. He Texas and New Orleans railway sued L. L. Campbell, a colored Baptist minister of Austin, for \$10,000 damages. The railroad company alleges that Campbell, who publishes a religious paper here, printed Aug. 18, 1903, a statement that plaintiff's accommodations for colored people were inferior, thereby influencing a number of colored people who were going to Philadelphia to attend the National Baptist convention.

Judge Calhoun of the Fifty-third court here, empaneled the grand jury. In his charge Judge Calhoun called particular attention to the number of cases of criminal assaults committed here recently and declared the grand jury must do its duty.

It was announced by Adjutant General Hulen that the Houston Light Guard had won the Galveston championship cup. That company made a score of 88.41, while the Austin Rifles, who were next in the contest, made a score of 84.43.

State Health Officer Tabor received a message from Quarantine Inspector McKnight at Laredo in which he states the quarantine restrictions against Monterey are being rigidly maintained. Quarantine is also on other border towns.

RETURN TO ITALY.

About One Hundred and Fifty Miners Will Go There.

Thurber Junction, Tex., Sept. 14.—The company did not attempt to operate mine No. 9 Monday morning because there were not sufficient men. Three wagonloads of provisions were sent to Thurber from Lyra by the miners' organization. A constant stream of wagons is taking miners away. They went to Fort Worth and many will return to Italy. About 150 will return to that country.

Brakeman Killed.

Houston, Sept. 14.—By a rear-end collision of a freight train on the Houston and Texas Central road at Fairbanks Brakeman Manning of Hearne was killed. Much rolling stock was demolished and the track badly torn up.

Deplorable Mistake.

Houston, Sept. 14.—Miss Isabel Raymond, niece of Clerk Raymond of the Harris county district criminal court, died from drinking carbolic acid, taken through mistake.

PECULIAR RECORD.

An Indian has Been Married Twice to Two Women.

Terre Haute, Ind., Sept. 14.—James L. Hiatt, superintendent of a glass factory, two years ago obtained a divorce from his wife, with whom he had lived sixteen years. Shortly afterward he married a woman employee of the glass factory. Inside of a year she secured a divorce and he remarried his first wife. A few weeks ago she obtained a divorce, and now he has remarried wife No. 2. The latter had a divorce before she married Hiatt the first time.

EGNOR ELECTROCUTED.

He Served in the War With Spain Under Another Name.

Auburn, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Clarence Egnor of Buffalo, was put to death in the electric chair for the murder of Archibald Benedict, a keeper in the Auburn prison. Egnor was twenty-six years of age and served in the war with Spain under another name.

Wishes Change of Venue.

Cynthiana, Ky., Sept. 14.—In the case of Curtis Jett, indicted for the assassination of Town Marshal Cockhill at Jackson, Ky., July 21, 1902, the defense filed an affidavit asking continuance on account of absence and sickness of Attorneys J. D. Black and B. F. French for the defense. Judge Osborne overruled the motion for a continuance and adjourned court to give defendant's attorneys time to make necessary affidavits for getting a change of venue to another county.

Demands Intervention.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 14.—The Novoe Vremya demands active intervention in Macedonia and proposes as a solution of the difficulties the attaching of the offices of foreign powers to all Turkish repressive expeditions with authority to prevent unnecessary cruelty.

Back at Work.

New Orleans, Sept. 14.—The strike of the longshoremen has been settled, longshoremen agreeing to waive a demand that eight men be put in a hatch, and they were all put to work on the eighteen ships waiting for cargoes.

MINOR MATTERS.

National Tube works are building a \$10,000,000 plant at McKeesport, Pa.

Six gambling houses were raided at Scranton, Pa., and \$4740 fines paid.

Mrs. Kelly, an actress, better known as "Violette," has fallen heir to \$250,000.

The wife of a negro physician named Gray at Wynnewood, I. T., died from an overdose of morphine.

W. A. Hoffman, who killed his father-in-law, Dr. Brandt, near Maysville, Ill., surrendered quietly.

Tax rolls of Collin county, Texas, foot up \$13,293,940, an increase over 1902 of \$117,620. Poll tax list shows a decrease of 235 names.

The executive committee of the Populist party of Texas meets at Dallas Oct. 6 to discuss plans for reorganizing the state.

Corn twenty-two feet tall, oats six feet high and watermelons weighing 100 pounds will be part of Oklahoma's exhibit at the World's fair.

G. W. Rosenberg of Chicago was hit by a freight train on the Houston and Texas Central railway near Dallas and his left leg terribly mashed.

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About one and one-quarter acres near schoolhouse in southeast part of town. Small new cottage, tenant house and well on premises. Price \$750.

Six room house and two lots of ground located four blocks from Main Street. Brick cistern on premises. Price \$1250.

One half of a block near Allen academy. Price \$500.00.

About 13 acres of land on south Side of town, good new 4-room house with well, cistern and out-houses. Price \$1000.

4-room house, with pantry, hall and two galleries. Tub cistern, bored well, stable and garden. Located 4 blocks from Courthouse. Rents for \$9.00 per month. Price \$650.00.

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